

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2135**

Attorney Docket No. 9400-209CT (00379CON1)

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Jeffrey A. Aaron et al.

Group Art Unit: 2135

Serial No.: 10/811,585

Examiner: Nirav B. Patel

Filed: March 29, 2004

Confirmation No.: 2073

For: FIREWALL SYSTEM AND METHOD VIA FEEDBACK FROM BROAD-SCOPE
MONITORING FOR INTRUSION DETECTION

Date: March 20, 2008

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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
(37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of TWO (2) months to respond to the final Official Action dated October 22, 2007.

2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

☒ is filed herewith.

☐ has been filed.

3. Applicant:

☐ Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ Does not claim small entity status.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d)):

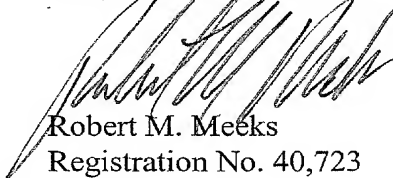
| | <u>Total Months Requested</u> | <u>Fee For Other Than Small Entity</u> | <u>Fee for Small Entity</u> |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | one month | \$120.00 | \$60.00 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | two months | \$460.00 | \$230.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | three months | \$1,050.00 | \$525.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | four months | \$1,640.00 | \$820.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | five months | \$2,230.00 | \$1,115.00 |

Fee Enclosed **\$460.00**

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- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038) is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 50-0220 for the extension of time fee and any additional extension and/or fee required.

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